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Applicant(s): Jena B. Frederick

Docket No.

730601.1010

Serial No.
10/690,334

Filing Date
October 21, 2003

Examiner
Sarah J. Chisdes

Confirmation No.
2178

Group Art Unit
2877

Invention: System and Method for Detection and Identification of Optical Spectra

Commissioner for Patents
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TOTAL CLAIMS	50	42 =	8	X \$25.00	\$200.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	6	5	1	X \$100.00	\$100.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable)				\$180.00	\$
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:)
Gary W. Kamerman) Confirmation No.: 2178
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Serial No.: 10/690,334)
) Art Unit: 2877
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) Examiner: Chisdes, Sarah J.
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OF OPTICAL SPECTRA) Docket No.: 730601.1010

FIRST RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
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Sir:

In regard to the outstanding non-final Office Action of June 6, 2005, Applicants submit the following First Response with amendments and remarks.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those which may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Thomas, Kayden, Horstemeyer, & Risley, L.L.P. Deposit Account No. 20-0778.

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